

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 596 - SB 628**

February 23, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes a licensed hospital to designate an entity to report the hospital's discharge claims data to the Commissioner of the Department of Health.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Hospitals are currently required to report discharge claims to the Department of Health.
- A designated entity providing this information, instead of the hospital, will not have a significant administrative or fiscal impact on the Department of Health's data collection unit.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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